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## Blackfoot River Riparian Restoration Project (Central Bingham CD)

Program	Riparian Improvements
Lead Implementer	Idaho Soil and Water Conservation Commission
Funders	Central Bingham Conservation District, Idaho Department of Environmental Quality, Private Party
Other Organizations	University of Idaho Extension
Project Primary Contact	George Hitz (george.hitz@swc.idaho.gov)
Project Stage	Implementation
Duration	2021

### Natural Resource Projects & Practices ➤ Riparian Improvements

Russian Olive removal project along the Blackfoot River to restore land use, riparian habitat, and improve water quality.

The project was developed in FY2020, see Project Development & Grant Application (Central Bingham CD)

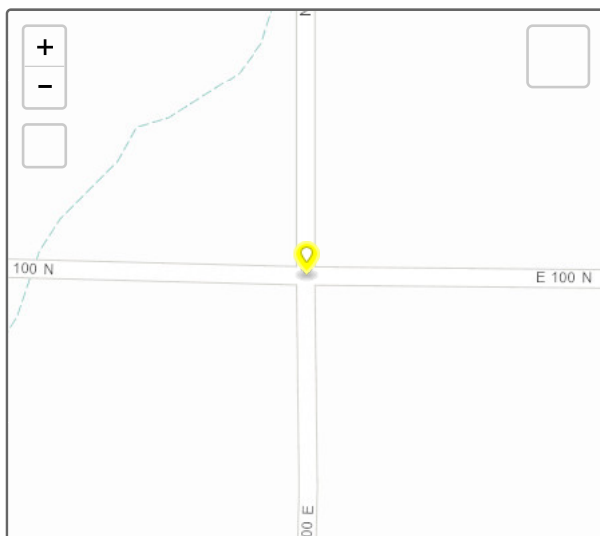
#### Key Accomplishments

- Brush Management (acres): **20.00 acres**
- Engineering & Technical Assistance Hours Requested: **70**
- Engineering & Technical Assistance Hours Allocated: **70**
- Engineering & Technical Assistance Hours Provided: **39**
- Engineering & Technical Assistance Value: **\$2,528.76**

#### Project Themes

- Habitat and Species
- Healthy Watersheds
- Rangelands

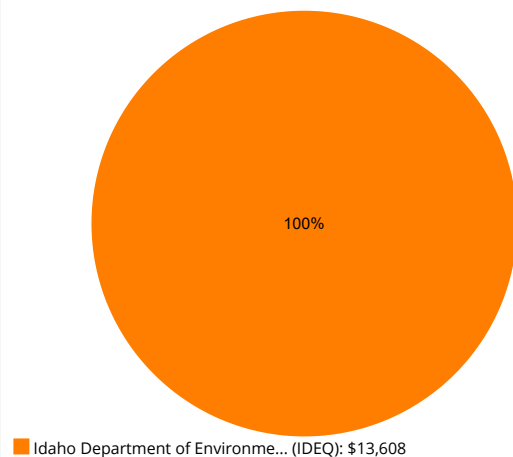
#### Location



Dense Russian Olive stand restricting livestock access and grazing.  
Credit: George Hitz, ISWCC

#### Expenditures

Expenditures by Funding Source to Date: **\$13,607.75**



## Photos

### During



Tree shears removing Russian Olive tree  
Credit: Landowner

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*Tracker tells stories at a broad-brush level. Individual project performance measures and expenditures should not be relied upon for complete and total accuracy and should be confirmed with a project's lead implementer. Project locations subject to confidentiality provisions under state and federal law specify the location of a local conservation district or USDA service center office.*

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